

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Scott P. Gray

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Dear Sir:

MAILING CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a) I hereby certify that the above correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on August 6, 2004

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Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), Applicant respectfully petitions for an extension of the shortened statutory period for response by three months in the above-identified Application from May 6, 2004 to August 6, 2004.

The fee for this three-month extension is \$950.00. Please charge this fee to Texas Instruments Incorporated, Deposit Account No. 20-0668. Any further necessary extension of time is hereby requested. Please charge any and all necessary fees to said deposit account. This form is submitted in triplicate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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